

alignment of the West Coast Road was sanctioned by the Government of India under the West Coast Road development programme. The work could not be taken up, as the question of final alignment of the West Coast Road was under consideration. The coastal route has been recently approved by the Government of India as the final alignment of West Coast Road and the question of taking up this work meeting the cost out of State Funds, will be examined.

Supply of "Mysore Gazette" and the Proceedings of the Legislative Assembly to the Libraries.

Q.—1088. Sri B. R. SUNTHANKAR (Belgaum City).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether they are aware that the Government of the former Bombay State was regularly supplying copies of the Government Gazette and the Proceedings of the Legislative Assembly to the District Libraries in the Bombay area integrated in this State ;

(b) Whether it is a fact that since 1st November 1956 no copies of the *Mysore Gazette* and the other Government publications are supplied to these libraries ;

(c) whether they have received any communication from the Belgaum General Library in this respect ;

(d) if so, the action, if any, they have taken or they propose to take in the matter ?

A.—Sri V. VENKATAPPA (Minister for Education).—

(a) (1) Yes.

(2) This Government is not aware of it.

(b) Yes.

(c) No.

(d) Does not arise in view of reply to clause (c).

Uniform Rates of Revenue Assessment.

Q.—258. Sri M. S. PATTAN (Ramdurg).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether they are aware of varying rates of revenue assessment in North Karnatak area (formerly forming part of some small States) ;

(b) whether they are also aware of the injustice done to persons, paying local cess and higher rates of revenue assessment so far in that area ;

(c) whether they intend to set up a Committee for the purpose of examining all such cases and for bringing in uniformity in those rates ;

(d) the period required for the completion of the above work ?

A.—Sri M. P. PATIL (Minister for Revenue).—

(a) Yes.

(b) The Government are aware of the situation in this matter.

(c) The work is being done by the Department of Settlement and Land Records in the State.

(d) It is expected to complete the work before the end of the next Revenue year.

The Postponement of the Date for Vesting the Assets of the Electricity Company, Mangalore.

Q.—627. Sri K. PUTTASWAMY (Mysore).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether they have postponed the date of vesting the assets of the Mangalore Electricity Power Supply Company ;

(b) if so, the date that was originally fixed for vesting and the date on which the actual vesting of the assets took place ;

(c) whether the Managing Agents of the said Company moved the Government for postponement of the said date ;